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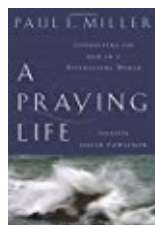
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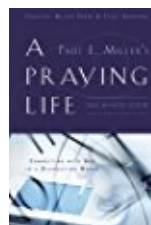
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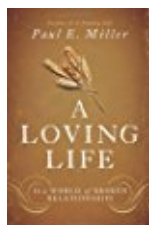
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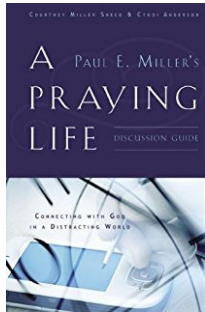
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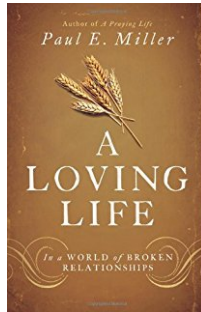
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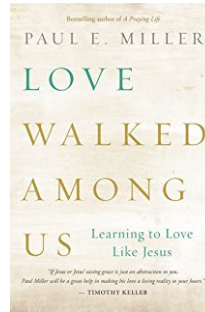
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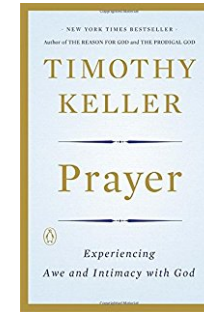
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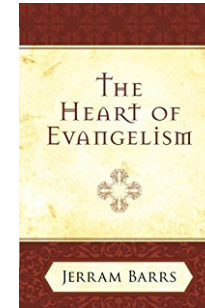
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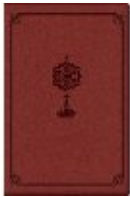


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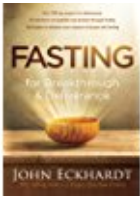
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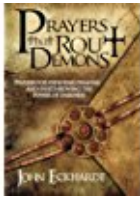
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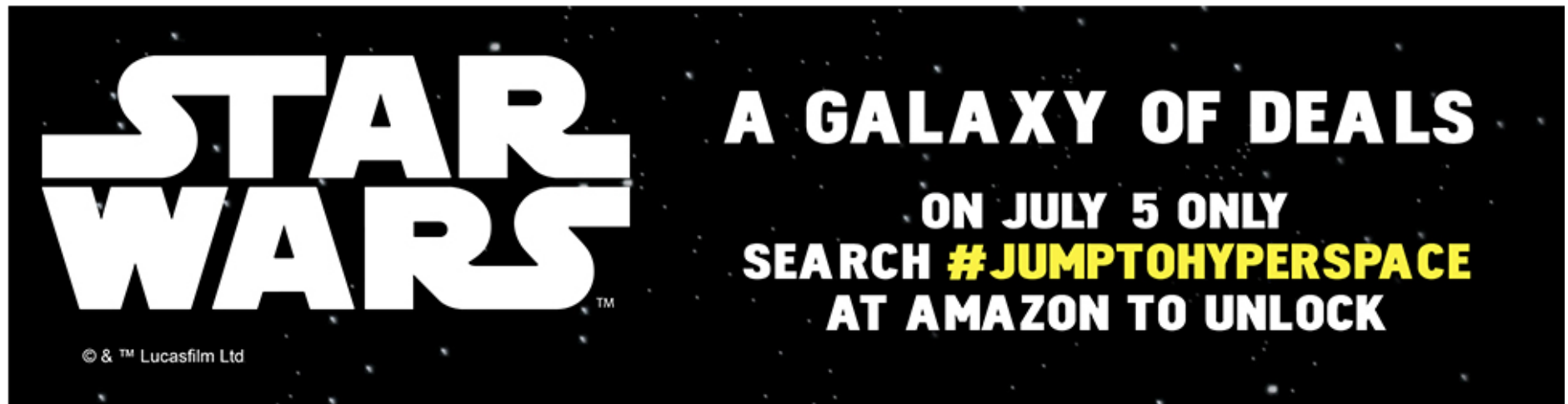
### Biography

Author Paul E. Miller is Executive Director of seeJesus, a global discipleship ministry which he founded in 1999 to help Christians and non-Christians alike "see Jesus." Since that time, Paul has taught more than 100 seminars, written a dozen interactive Bible studies, and released three books focused on seeJesus' core themes: the person of Jesus, love, and prayer. Paul loves to tell stories—most of which start with his own failures and mishaps and end with God's faithfulness. Paul is married to Jill, who is known for her sense of humor and faith. They have six children and twelve grandchildren and live in the Philadelphia area.

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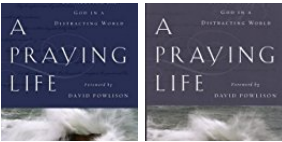
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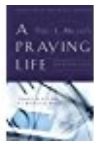
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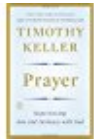
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